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generally reduced, by two levels, the offense levels 2 applicable to crack cocaine offenses.

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On June 12, 2000, Petitioner pled guilty to conspiring to distribute, and distribution of, approximately 103.8 grams of cocaine base. For these 7 offenses, Petitioner was sentence to 168 months. At the 8 time of the sentencing, the Guidelines supported a 168 9 to 210 month sentence for Petitioner's offence. 10 Petitioner was sentenced to the low term under the 11 Guidelines. Subsequent to the Amendment, the Guidelines 12 recommend a sentencing range of 140 to 175 month.

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The Court considered the original sentencing 15 recommendation, the 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a) factors, as well 16 as the Government's support of a reduction in 17 Petitioner's sentence to 140 months. The Court also 18 considered Petitioner's behavior while in custody.

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Based on the above considerations, the Court determines that it is appropriate to reduce Petitioner's sentence to 140 months, to be followed by a five year period of supervised release.

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Date: May 30, 2008

Senior, U.S. District Court Judge

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